



# Product Evaluation

WIN2160 | 1116

Engineering Services Program

*The following product has been evaluated for compliance with the wind loads specified in the International Residential Code (IRC) and the International Building Code (IBC).*

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**Evaluation ID:** WIN-2160

**Effective Date:** November 1, 2016

**Re-evaluation Date:** March 2017

**Product Name:** Series 43-17 Vinyl Single Hung Tilt Windows, Fin and Finless Mount, Non-Impact Resistant

**Manufacturer:** Simonton Building Products, Inc.  
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Vantage Pointe 6060  
Grand Estates New Construction

## General Description: Series 43-17 Unreinforced Frame Option

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
1	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Tilt; Unreinforced; Fin-Mounted; O/X	R-PG35 44 x 63-H	+35 / -35 psf
2	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Twin; Tilt; Unreinforced; Fin-Mounted; O/X.O/X	R PG35 73 x 63-H	+35 / -35 psf
3	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Twin; Tilt; Unreinforced With an Unreinforced Integral Mullion; Fin-Mounted; O/X.O/X	R-PG30 89 x 63-H	+30 / -30 psf
4	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Triple; Tilt; Unreinforced Windows with a Steel-Reinforced Integral Mullion; Installation into CMU and Wood Framing, Finless Mount; O/X.O/X.O/X	R PG35 109 x 63-H (MULL)	+35 / -35 psf

**General Description: Series 43-17 with Steel-Reinforced Frame Option**

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
5	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Tilt; E9 Steel-Reinforced Operable Sash and Fixed Meeting Rail; Fin-Mounted O/X	LC-PG50 36 x 76-H	+50 / -50 psf
6	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Tilt; E2 Steel-Reinforced Meeting Rails; Fin-Mounted; O/X	R-PG50 36 x 96-H	+50 / -50 psf
7	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Twin; Tilt; E8 Steel Reinforced Operable Sash and Integral Mullion; Installation into CMU and Wood Framing, Fin and Finless Mount; O/X.O/X	R-PG45 73 x 74-H (REINF)	+45 / -45 psf

**General Description: Series 43-17 with Aluminum-Reinforced Frame Option**

System	Description	Label Rating	Design Pressure Rating
8	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; Tilt; A7 Aluminum-Reinforced Operable Sash stiles and lock rails; Fin-Mounted; O/X	LC PG25 48 x 80-H	+25 / -25 psf
9	43-17 Vinyl Single Hung; 60/40 Oriel; Tilt; A9 Aluminum-Reinforced Operable Sash and Fixed Meeting Rail; Fin-Mounted; O/X	R PG25 48 X 80-H	+25 / -25 psf

**Product Dimensions:**

System	Overall Size	Operable Sash Size	Fixed Sash Daylight Opening Size
1	44" x 63"	41-7/8" x 30-3/8"	38-7/8" x 27-1/2"
2	73" x 63"	Two: 34" x 30-3/8"	Two: 31-3/8" x 27-1/2"
3	89" x 63"	Two: 42" x 30-3/8"	Two: 39-1/8" x 27-1/2"
4	109" x 63"	Three: 33-3/4" x 30-3/8"	Three: 30-3/4" x 27-1/2"
5	36" x 76"	33-7/8" x 36-7/8"	30-7/8" x 34"
6	36" x 96"	33-3/4" x 27-3/4"	30-7/8" x 63-1/8"
7	73" x 74"	Two: 34" x 35-7/8"	Two: 31-1/8" x 33"
8	48" x 80"	45-7/8" x 38-7/8"	42-7/8" x 36"
9	48" x 80"	45-3/4" x 31"	42-7/8" x 43-3/4"

**Product Identification (Certification Label on Window):**

System		
1, 5, 8	Certification Agency	AAMA
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	SIM-1 or SIM-2
	Product Name	43-17 SH
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08
6, 9	Certification Agency	AAMA
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	SIM-1 or SIM-2
	Product Name	43-17 SH (FIN)
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08

**Product Identification (Certification Label on Window) Continued:**

System		
2, 3, 7	Certification Agency	AAMA
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	SIM-1 or SIM-2
	Product Name	43-17 SH TWIN (T-MULL)
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08
4	Certification Agency	AAMA
	Manufacturer's Name or Code Name	SIM-1 or SIM-2
	Product Name	43-17 SH TRIPLE (T-MULL)
	Test Standards	AAMA/WDMA/CSA 101/I.S.2/A440-08

**Impact Resistance:**

System	Impact Resistant	Requirement
1 - 9	No	Provide an impact protective system when installing the product in areas that require windborne debris protection.

**Installation:**

System		
1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9	Type of Installation	New Construction – Nail Fin
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir dimension lumber
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 6 x 1-5/8" steel screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Set fasteners through the nail fin corners and at 8" on center around the perimeter of the window into the wood framing.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum 1-1/2" penetration into the wall framing
4, 7	Type of Installation	New or Replacement Construction – CMU Block
	Wall Framing	Solid or Grout-Filled Concrete Block with 1x6 pressure-treated lumber between the block and the window frame
	Fasteners	Minimum 3/16" x 2-3/4" Tapcon Screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Set two fasteners through each jamb, through the 1x6 lumber, at approximately 6" from each corner into the concrete block.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum 1-1/2" penetration into the concrete block
4, 7	Type of Installation	Replacement Construction – Wood Frame
	Wall Framing	Spruce-Pine-Fir dimension lumber
	Fasteners	Minimum No. 8 x 2-1/2" steel screws
	Fastener Location/Spacing	Set two fasteners through each jamb at approximately 6" from each corner into the wood framing.
	Fastener Penetration	Minimum 1-1/2" penetration into the wall framing

**Note:** Keep the manufacturer's installation instructions available on the job site during installation. Use corrosion resistant fasteners as specified in the IRC, the IBC, and the Texas Revisions.